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804	1	April	Certificate nominating Counsel.
805	2	April	Application on behalf of the Defense for leave to withdraw book entitled "Conference on the Limitation of Armament, Washington." (See Order No. 839).
806-807	2	April	Certificates testifying to illness of MATSUI and TOGO, respectively.
808-809	2	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	2	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2383 to 2403 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness SHOJI, Kanai; Granted. Defense presented a stipulation entered into between the Prosecution and the Defense as to admission of certain facts and circumstances, and the introduction of specified matters into evidence. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses HONJO, Kazuo, and KAWAMURA, Kyoichi, Granted.
810-811	3	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and MATSUI, respectively.
812-814	3	April	Oaths of witnesses.
815	3	April	Stipulated facts No. 1, between Prosecution and Defense as to admission of certain facts and circumstances and the introduction of specified matters into evidence.
816	3	April	Stipulated facts No. 1-A between the Prosecution and Defense.

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**	3	April	Hearing in the Conference Room; Defense made oral application for an order on the matter of obtaining statements under oath of certain officials of the Foreign Office of the British Government, etc., said statements to be made in the form of written interrogatories authorized by the Tribunal Granted. (See Order No. 877).
**	3	April	Hearing in Court Room; Counsel for ITAGAKI made oral application for an order to withdraw from the files of the Tribunal the original documents comprising Court Exhibits Nos. 2401 and 2403, substituting in lieu thereof photostatic copies of the same. ORDERED: Denied; and said original documents will remain in the custody of the Court until further order. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses KAWAMURA, Kyoichi and HIRATA, Yukihiro. Granted. Defense Exhibits Nos. 2404 and 2405 marked for identification.
817-818	4	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and MATSUI, respectively.
819	4	April	Oath of witness.
820-821	8	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and MATSUI, respectively.
822-825	8	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	8	April	Hearing in Court Room; Oral application of Defense to temporarily dismiss witness SHIMAMOTO, Masaichi; Granted. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witnesses ENDO, Saburo; SAMEJIMA, Tomoshige; KITAURA, Toyo; Granted. Defense Exhibits Nos. 2410 to 2421 inc. marked for identification.

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826	9	April	Psychiatric and physical examination of OKAWA, Shumei, and report of Commanding Officer, 361st Station Hospital, dated 13 March 1947.
827	9	April	Report of psychiatric examination of OKAWA, Shumei, from Dr. Yushi Yuchimura, Professor in the Department of Psychiatry, Tokyo Imperial University, Head of Tokyo Municipal Hospital at Matsuzawa, dated 23 February 1947.
828	9	April	Medical certificate of Akira HAYASHI of the Matsuzawa Municipal Hospital, of OKAWA, Shumei, dated 30 January 1947.
829	9	April	Acceptance of service of summons.
830-833	9	April	Oaths of witnesses.
834-835	9	April	Certificates testifying to illness of OKA and TOGO, respectively.
**	9	April	Hearing in Conference Room; On oral application of Counsel for the Accused HATA, to interrogate in writing or otherwise the proposed witness HARADA, Kuma-Kichi, at Singapore, on behalf of said HATA, said application setting forth that the said HARADA had been condemned to death by the British Tribunal, and could not therefore be produced before this Tribunal as a witness. ORDERED: Granted; and with request to defer the execution. (See Order No. 836).
**	9	April	Hearing in Court Room; Oral application of Defense that the Rules of Procedure be amended to permit one American Counsel to read the affidavit of a witness into evidence as the testimony in chief of said witness, and one Japanese Counsel to conduct the oral re-direct examination of said witness where necessary; The Court directed that Counsel shall indicate in advance of the taking of evi-

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dence of the witness who shall act for Defense; ORDERED that proposed amendment be adopted. (See Order No. 1033) Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness TANGE, Kunji; Granted. ARIMA, Narisuke, was produced as a witness for the Defense and his affidavit offered as evidence in chief. The Court rejected said tender, refused to admit the affidavit and dismissed the witness. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness OYAMA, Ayao, with leave to recall him at a later date if necessary; Granted. Defense Exhibits Nos. 2422 to 2424 inc. marked for identification. Counsel for the Accused OKAWA, Shumei, made oral application for a decision of the Tribunal on previous applications for an order determining the physical and mental condition of said OKAWA in respect to his ability to stand trial in these proceedings. ORDERED that no further proceedings be taken at this trial on the Indictment herein against the Accused OKAWA, and stated the terms and conditions therefor. (See Order No. 892).

836      10      April

Order granting oral application of Accused HATA, Shunroku, to interrogate and take the affidavit of witness HARADA, Kumakichi, and request for stay of execution of the said witness. (Disposes of oral application).

837      10      April

Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.

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Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 805) of the Defense for leave to withdraw from the files of the Tribunal an original document, being Court Exhibit No. 2319, and being a book entitled "Conference on the Limitation of Armament, Washington, D.C., 1921-1922"; ORDERED granted (See Order No. 839). Defense made oral application



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for an order granting Counsel for the Defense leave to withdraw an Accused from the dock during the course of trial for the purpose of consultation with his counsel, with leave of the Court first had and obtained; ORDERED said matter to be taken under consideration.

\*\* 10 April

Hearing in Court Room; Defense made oral application for order dismissing Defense witness WACHI, Takaji; Granted. Defense had marked for identification Exhibits Nos. 2425 to 2434 inc. Defense made oral application for ruling as to whether an Accused placed on the stand and examined on his own behalf and on behalf of other Accused on matters only relative to a specific phase of the case, could be called at a later date for general examination on his own behalf; and of the extent and scope of cross-examination; or the right of Prosecution to defer cross-examination on particular testimony and later cross-examination of the Accused generally; ORDERED that an Accused may give evidence at any time, but he must give all of his testimony at that time and cannot later be recalled except in exceptional instances where the ends of justice so require and with leave of the Court first had and obtained Accused MINAMI sworn and testified.

838 11 April

Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.

\*\* 11 April

Hearing in Court Room; Defense asked for a ruling of the Tribunal on the extent of the scope of cross-examination of an Accused; ORDERED the cross-examination would be unrestricted where the Accused is called for himself or as a witness for one or more of the Accused. Defense Exhibit No. 2435 marked for identification.

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839	14	April	Order granting withdrawal from the files of the Tribunal of Court Exhibit No.2319. (Desposes of Paper No. 805).
840	14	April	Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.
841	14	April	Certificate nominating Counsel.
**	14	April	Hearing in Court Room; Trial of case resumed.
842	15	April	Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.
**	15	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibit No. 2436 marked for identification.
843	16	April	Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.
844	16	April	Order granting application of the accused for a 7-day (see 16 April 1947) recess upon specified terms and conditions. (Desposes of oral application).
845	--	--	Cancelled (see Paper No. 892) re: Okawa.
**	16	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibit No. 2437 marked for identification.
846-847	17	April	Certificates testifying to illness of HIRANUMA and TOGO, respectively.
848-850	17	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	17	April	Hearing in Court Room; The Accused MINAMI, Jiro, was excused as a witness. Defense made oral applications for orders dismissing Defense witnesses UEDA, Ken-kichi; and MATSUKI, Tamotsu; Granted; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2438 to 2440-A inc. marked for identification.
851	18	April	Request of Accused KIMURA for the production of a witness under the Charter. (See Order No. 876).
852-853	18	April	Oaths of witnesses.

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854-855	18	April	Certificates testifying to illness of HIRANUMA and TOGO, respectively.
856-858	18	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	18	April	Hearing in Conference Room; On the matter of the appointment of a Commission to take the testimony of ISHIHARA, Kenji, alleged to be too ill to travel; ORDERED that said testimony be taken before a Commission, and designated The Honorable Mr. Justice Northcroft, Member of the Tribunal from New Zealand, as the Justice before whom said testimony would be taken.
**	18	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense made oral applications for orders dismissing Defense witnesses TAKAMURA, Iwao; NANAMI, Toshio; KAGOSHIMA, Torao, and ISHIMARU, Shizuma; Granted. Defense Exhibits Nos. 2441 to 2462 inc. marked for identification.
859-860	21	April	Oaths of witnesses.
861-862	21	April	Certificates testifying to illness of HIRANUMA and TOGO, respectively.
863	21	April	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	21	April	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 851) of the accused KIMURA for the production of a witness under the Charter and issuance of a summons for Lt. Gen. Albert Kretschmer; ORDERED granted. (See Order No. 876).
**	21	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense made oral applications for orders dismissing Defense witnesses NAMBA, Tsunekazu; MUTO, Tomio; and OKUMURA, Shinji; Granted. Prosecution Exhibit No. 2463, and Defense Exhibits Nos. 2464 to 2474 inc. marked for identification
863	21	April	Acceptance of service of summons.



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864	22	April	Withdrawal by Counsel.
865-866	22	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and HIRANUMA, respectively.
867-870	22	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	22	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2475 to 2481 inc. marked for identification. Defense made oral applications for orders dismissing Defense witnesses TANAKA, Shizuka; KAWABE, Shozo (Masakazu); SAKURAI, Tokutaro; Granted.
871-872	23	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and HIRANUMA, respectively.
873-875	23	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	23	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2482 to 2488 inc. marked for identification. Defense made oral applications for orders dismissing Defense witnesses WACHI, Tsunezo; WACHI, Takaji; HASHIMOTO, Gun; Granted.
876	24	April	Order granting application of the accused KIMURA for the issuance of summons for witness on his behalf. (Disposes of paper No. 851).
877	24	April	Order granting oral application of Counsel for the accused SHIGEMITSU to submit written statement and written interrogatories to certain witnesses, and granting Prosecution right to submit cross-interrogatories to said witnesses. (See 3 April 1947).
878	24	April	Request by the Defense for production of witness John R. Deane. (See Order No. 899).
879-880	24	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and HIRANUMA, respectively.
881-882	24	April	Oaths of witnesses.

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883	24	April	Request by the Defense for production of witnesses HATANO, Konichi, and OTSUKA, Reizo. (See Order No. 886).
884	24	April	Request of accused MUTO for production of witness. (See Order No. 914).
**	24	April	Hearing in Conference Room; On oral application of Defense for ruling on documentary evidence offered and rejected by the Tribunal; ORDERED that the originals of such rejected evidence be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Tribunal under a rejected series numbering, with summary notations of their contents; and same shall be considered a part of the record. (See Order No. 900).
**	24	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense made oral applications for orders dismissing Defense witnesses TANAKA, Shinichi; KAWABE, Torashiro; SHIBAYAMA, Kaneshiro, and ISHIKAWA, Jun; Granted. Defense Exhibits Nos. 2489 to 2494 inc. marked for identification.
885	25	April	Commission to take deposition of ISHIHARA, Kanji. (See 18 April 1947).
886	25	April	Order for the issuance of summonses for witnesses for the Defense. (Disposes of Paper No. 883).
887-888	25	April	Certificates testifying to illness of HIRANUMA and TOGO, respectively.
889-891	25	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	25	April	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 883) of the Defense for production of witnesses under the Charter. Also oral application was made to amend written application to read "Communists activities in China" in the place and stead of "Communists activities in Japan"; ORDERED that the written application be so amended. Further ORDERED that the application for production of witnesses be

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			granted and summonses issued (See Order No. 886).
**	25	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2495 to 2504 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses KAYASHIMA, Takashi; KATSURA, Shizuo; SAKURAI, Fumio; Granted.
892	28	April	Order with reference to OKAWA, Shumei, in re: further trial proceedings under the Indictment. (See Paper No. 604).
893	28	April	Request of accused UMEZU, Yoshijiro, for production of a witness. (See Order No. 915).
894-895	28	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and HIRANUMA, respectively.
896-897	28	April	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	28	April	Hearing in Conference Room: On Application (Paper No. 878) of the Defense for the production of a witness; ORDERED granted. (See Order No. 899).
**	28	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2505 to 2510 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness FURUYAMA, Katsuo; Granted.
898	29	April	Request by Defense for production of witness NONAKA, Sanzo.
899	29	April	Order granting application of Defense to interrogate and secure testimony of a witness for the Defense and ordering that facilities be provided. (Disposes of Paper No. 878).
900	29	April	Order providing for register of documents offered in evidence and rejected by the Tribunal. (See 24 April 1947- Disposes of oral application.

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894-895	28	April	Certificates testifying to illness of TOGO and HIRANUMA, respectively.
896-897	28	April	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	28	April	Hearing in Conference Room: On Application (Paper No. 878) of the Defense for the production of a witness; ORDERED granted. (See Order No. 899).
**	28	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2505 to 2510 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness FURUYAMA, Katsuo; Granted.
898	29	April	Request by Defense for production of witness NONAKA, Sanzo.
899	29	April	Order granting application of Defense to interrogate and secure testimony of a witness for the Defense and ordering that facilities be provided. (Disposes of Paper No. 878).
900	29	April	Order providing for register of documents offered in evidence and rejected by the Tribunal. (See 24 April 1947- Disposes of oral application.

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901	29	April	Certificate nominating Counsel.
902-904	29	April	Certificates testifying to illness of OKA, HIRANUMA, and TOGO.
**	29	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2511 to 2513 inc. marked for identification.
905-907	30	April	Certificates testifying to illness of OKA, HIRANUMA, and TOGO.
908-909	30	April	Oaths of witnesses.
**	30	April	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2514 to 2517 inc. marked for identification.
910	1	May	Canceled.
911	1	May	Oaths of witness.
912	1	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
913	1	May	Certificate nominating Counsel.
**	1	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 884) of the accused MUTO, Akira, for the production of witness under the Charter; Granted (See Order No. 914). On Application (Paper No. 893) of the accused UMEZU, Yoshijiro, for the production of a witness under the Charter; Granted (See Order No. 915). On application (Paper No. 898) of the Defense for the production of the witness NONAKA, Sanzo; ORDERED: Said matter to be taken under consideration.
**	1	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibit No. 2518 marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness OKAMOTO, Suemasa; Granted.
914	2	May	Order for the production of witness requested by the accused MUTO, Akira. (Disposes of Paper No. 884).



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915	2	May	Order granting the application of the accused UMEZU, Yoshijiro, for the production of a witness. (Disposes of Paper No. 893)
916	2	May	Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.
917-918	2	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	2	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2519 to 2529 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses TAKEDA, Isamu; AOKI, Takeshi; and TOTSUKA, Michitaro; Granted.
919	5	May	Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.
920-926	5	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	5	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2530 to 2540 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses KOBAYASHI, Yoshito; NAKAYAMA, Yasuto, HIDAKA, Shinrokuro, HIRAMOTO, Michitake; and YAMAMOTO, Yoshio; Granted.
927	6	May	Certificate testifying to illness of TOGO.
928-936	6	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	6	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos 2541 to 2557 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses ENOMOTO, Juji; TSUKAMOTO, Hirotsugu; KIKKAWA, Masaharu; YOSHIKAWA, Genzo; YOSHIHASHI, Kaizo; SAITO, Torao; OHKI, Eiichi; OGAWA, Saburo; MIYAZAKI, Shuichi, IKEDA, Ryuzaburo; and MORIOKA, Takashi; Granted.
937-939	7	May	Oaths of witnesses.
940	7	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	7	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos 2558 to 2560 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses

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			MASUDA, Kanetoshi; SUZUKI, Tadasumi; AKAGI, Kiyoji; OYAMA, Fumio; and KAWABE, Masakazu; Granted.
941-945	8	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	8	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2561 to 2573 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses KAWABE, Masakazu; HASEGAWA, Kiyoshi; AMANO, Shoichi; USHIJIMA, Sado; SANO, Torata; YOKOYAMA, Isamu; Granted. Oral Application of Defense Counsel A.G. Lazarus, for a recess until Monday 12 May 1947; Granted.
946-949	12	May	Oaths of witnesses.
950	12	May	Withdrawal by Counsel, and Certificate nominating Counsel.
**	12	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2574 to 2578 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Prosecution for an order dismissing Prosecution witness Col. David D. Barrett, Granted. Oral application of Defense for orders dismissing NAKAMURA, Tatsuji; MORI, Tokuji; KAWAMOTO, Yoshitaro; Granted.
951	13	May	Request by accused KIMURA, Heitaro, for production of witness TANAKA, Nobuo. (See Order No. 953).
**	13	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2579 to 2582 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses NAKAYAMA, Yasuto; OIKAWA, Genshichi; Granted.
952	14	May	Request by accused TOGO, Shigenori, for production of witness SATO, Naotake. (See Order No. 962).
953	14	May	Order for the issuance of a subpoena for a witness requested by accused KIMURA. (Disposes of Papers Nos. 951 and 722).

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954-956	14	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	14	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 951) of Accused KIMURA for production of witness, Lt. Gen. TANAKA Nobuo; Granted (See Order No. 953). On Application (Paper No. 952) of Accused TOGO for production of witness SATO, Naotake; Granted (See Order No. 962). On Oral application of Defense to produce witnesses now in Sugamo Prison that permission be granted to interrogate said witnesses in War Ministry Building; Granted (See Order No. 966). On oral application of Defense that accused be withdrawn from dock for consultation with Counsel; ORDERED said matter taken under consideration. On oral application of Defense for production of Prosecution witnesses for cross-examination who testified by affidavit in Russian Phase; ORDERED said matter taken under consideration.
**	14	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibit Nos. 2583 and 2584 marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for the dismissal of Defense witnesses KAWABE, Torashiro; FUJII, Shigeru; BABA, Shaochi; SHIMIZU, Tozo; Granted.
957	15	May	Request of accused TOGO, Shigenori for the production of witnesses TAKEUCHI, Ryuji and NISHIMURA, Kumao. (See Order No. 958).
958	15	May	Order for the production of witnesses requested by the accused TOGO, Shigenori. (Disposes of Paper No. 957).
959	15	May	Request of accused SATO, Kenryo, for the production of documents from Central Intelligence Group, Washington, D.C. (See Order No. 964).
960	15	May	Request of accused MINAMI, Jiro, for the production of documents from Central Intelligence Group, Washington, D.C. (See Order No. 963).

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961	15	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	15	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 957) of the Accused TOGO for the production of witnesses TAKEUCHI, Ryuji, and NISHIMURA, Kumao; Granted. (See Order No. 958)
**	15	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2585 to 2589 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness SHIMIZU, Tozo; Granted. Oral application by Capt. Brooks to permit J.C. Howard to act in his place during his absence as Counsel for accused KOISO and MINAMI; Granted.
962	16	May	Order for the production of witness requested by the accused TOGO, Shigenori. (Disposes of Paper No. 952).
963	16	May	Order for the production of documents on behalf of the accused MINAMI, Jiro. (Disposes of Paper No. 960).
964	16	May	Order for the production of documents on behalf of the accused SATO, Kenryo. (Disposes of Paper No. 959).
965	16	May	Oaths of witness.
**	16	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No 960) of the Defense for documents from the Central Intelligence Group, Washington, D.C.; Granted (See Order No. 963). On Application (Paper No. 959) of the Defense for the production of documents and witnesses for the accused SATO, Kenryo; Granted (See Order No. 964). On oral application of the Defense for the production of witness SAITO, Yoshie; Granted (See Order No. 967).
**	16	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2590 to 2612 inc. marked for identification.

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966	19	May	Order for the production of prospective witnesses for the accused, for the purpose of interrogation. (Disposes of oral Application.)
967	19	May	Order for the issuance of a summons for a witness on behalf of the Defense. (Disposes of oral application).
968-970	19	May	Certificates nominating Counsel.
**	19	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2613 to 2619 inc. marked for identification.
**	20	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On the matter of the appointment of a Commission to take the testimony of KAGESA, Sadaaki; ORDERED that said testimony be taken before a Commission, the name of the Justice before whom said testimony would be taken to be announced in Open Court the following day.
**	20	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2620 to 2622 inc., and 766A, 767A and 767B marked for identification.
971	21	May	Commission to take the deposition of Defense witness KAGESA, Sadaaki, before the Hon. Justice Northcroft, designated Commissioner.
972-973	20	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	21	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2623 to 2629 inc. and 753A marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness HASHIMOTO, Gun; Granted.
974	22	May	Motion of Defense Counsel for relief from applicable rules covering distribution of photostat copies of reports released by the U.S. Tariff Commission, because of paper shortage. (See Order No. 990).
975	22	May	Request of Defense for the production of



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			witnesses OTA, Saburo, and OHASHI, Chuichi, (See order No. 982).
976-977	22	May	Oaths of witnesses.
978	--	--	Canceled.
979	22	May	Order releasing Charles A. Mantz and ap- pointing Paul M. Lynch as Clerk of the Court.
**	22	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2630 to 2636 inc. marked for identi- fication. Defense made oral application for orders dismissing Defense witnesses TANAKA, Ryukichi; ISONO, Yuso, and HAYA- SHI, Kaoru, Granted.
980-981	23	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	23	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On Applicat- ion (Paper No. 975) of Defense for the production of witness OHASHI, Shuichi; Granted (See Order No. 982).
**	23	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits 2637 to 2647A marked for identification. Oral application of Defense Counsel to withdraw certain Accused from the dock to confer with Counsel; ORDERED: Granted, subject to certain security measures. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismis- sing Defense witnesses MATSUDAIRA, Koto, and MIURA, Kazuichi; Granted.
982	26	May	Order for the production of witnesses on behalf of the Defense. (Disposes of Paper No. 975).
983-985	26	May	Oaths of witnesses.
986-987	26	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
988	26	May	Oaths of witness.
**	26	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2648 to 2656 marked for identifica-

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			tion. Oral applications of Defense for order dismissing Defense witnesses TANAKA, Ryukichi; YANO, Mitsuji; HATTORI, Takushiro Granted.
989	27	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	27	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2657 to 2660 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness OGISU, Rippei; Granted.
990	28	May	Order permitting limited number of copies of Documents Nos. 500-(A-D) B, C, E and F and 500 A-1 through 500 A-37 to be submitted by Defense. (Disposes of Paper No.974)
991-992	28	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
**	28	May	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 974) of Defense for processing certain reports; Granted (See Order No.990)
**	28	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos 2661 to 2671 inc. marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness OTA, Saburo; Granted.
993	29	May	Acceptance of service of summons.
994-995	29	May	Oaths of witnesses.
**	29	May	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2672 to 2676 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses KASAHARA, Yukio; YANO, Masao; and FUTAMI, Akishuro; Granted.
996-998	2	June	Oaths of witnesses.
**	2	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2677 to 2680 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses TANAKA, Shinichi; HANAWA, Yoshiyuki; IIMURA, Minoru,

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999-1001	3	June	Oaths of witnesses.
1002	3	June	Request of Defense for production of documents of the Kwantung Army by Soviet Forces at Hsingking, Manchuria during years 1931 to 1945 inc. (See Order No. 1003).
**	3	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2681 to 2689 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses Lt. Col. Homer C. Blake; KOZUKI, Yoshio; IIMURA Minoru; and UKAI, Yoshio; Granted.
1003	4	June	Order for the production of documents requested by the Defense. (Disposes of Paper No. 1002).
1004-1006	4	June	Oaths of witnesses.
**	4	June	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 1002) of Defense for production of certain documents; Granted (See Order No. 1003).
**	4	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2690 to 2705 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses FUJITA, Masamichi, and SATO, Naotake; Granted.
1007-1008	5	June	Certificated nominating Counsel.
1009	5	June	Oaths of witness.
**	5	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2706 to 2708 inc., and Prosecution Exhibit No. 2709, marked for identification. Oral applications by Defense for the dismissal of Defense witnesses TAKAYAMA, Nobutake, and HASHIMOTO, Gun; Granted.
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**	6	June	Hearing in Conference Room; On oral application of Defense for production of witness MATSUDA, Genji, or Motoji; Granted.
**	6	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2712 and Prosecution Exhibits Nos. 2709A, 2710, 2710A, 2711, 2711A, 719B, 719C and 719D marked for identification. Oral application for an order dismissing Defense witness YANO, Mitsuji; Granted with right to recall.
1012-1014	9	June	Acceptance of service of summonses.
**	9	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2713 to 2715 inc. and Prosecution Exhibit No. 719E marked for identification.
1015	10	June	Order permitting the absence of accused from the dock during progress of the trial. (Disposes of oral application).
1016	10	June	Withdrawal by Counsel.
1017	10	June	Certificate testifying to illness of SHIRATORI.
**	10	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2716 to 2721 inc. marked for identification. Oral applications of Defense for orders dismissing Defense witnesses UGAKI, Kazushige, and INOUE, Takamoro; Granted. Oral application of Defense for a six weeks' recess to permit Defense to process documents and present a more orderly case. ORDERED taken under advisement.
1018-1019	11	June	Acceptance of service of summonses.
**	11	June	Hearing in Court Room; The Court announced that due consideration of Defense Counsels' request for a six weeks' recess had been given, and ORDERED: Said recess granted, commencing 23 June 1947. (See Order No. 1039). Deposition of KAGESA, Sadaaki, was read.

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1023	13	June	Oaths of witness.
1024-1028	13	June	Acceptance of service of summonses.
**	13	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2735 to 2744 inc. marked for identification. Oral application by Defense for order dismissing Defense witness USHIBA, Tomohiko; Granted.
**	16	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2744A and 2745 marked for identification.
1029	17	June	Oaths of witness.
**	17	June	Hearing in Court Room; Prosecution Exhibit No. 2746 marked for identification. Oral application by Defense for an order dismissing Defense witness Heinrich Stahmer; Granted.
1030-1031	18	June	Acceptance of service of summonses.
1032	18	June	Oaths of witness.
**	18	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2747 to 2751 inc. marked for identification. Oral application by Defense for an order dismissing Defense witness NAGAI, Yatsuji; Granted.
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**	19	June	Hearing in Court Room; Defense Exhibits Nos. 2752 to 2765A marked for identification. Oral application of Defense for order dismissing Defense witness Alfred F. KRESTCHMER; Granted.
1034	20	June	Request by accused MINAMI, Jiro, for production of documents formerly kept in Japanese War Ministry. (See Order No. 1040).
**	24	June	Hearing in Conference Room; On Application (Paper No. 1034) of the Accused MINAMI, Jiro, for production of documents; Granted. (See Order No. 1040).
1035	25	June	Acceptance of service of summons.